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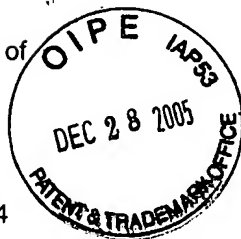
Serial No. 10/751,299

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Filed: January 5, 2004

Date: December 28, 2005

Title: DOOR THRESHOLD

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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment **12** minus highest number  
previously paid for **20** (at least 20) = 0 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

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If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
\$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this  
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One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)  
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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$

☒ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee \$180.00 (1806) \$

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Responsive to the Official Action dated July 28, 2005 (for which petition is hereby made for a two month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows.

*This amendment should be entered since it merely places allowable subject matter into independent form, so that the application is in condition for allowance given the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter.*

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